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G.O. No. 2859

DATED 28. 8. 33

[Despatch Abstract.]

Petroleum - B Form licence - 5,000 gallons - Canara Public Conveyance Co. Ltd., Mangalore - Granted.

G.O. 5959 C
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South Kanara District Magistrate's Office
Mangalore, dated 12th August 1933.

From

E. F. Gayne, Esq, I.C.S.,
District Magistrate,
South Kanara.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Law (General) Department,
Madras.

Sir,

Petroleum- Dangerous 'B' Form license--5000 gallons--C.P.C. Co. Ltd. Mangalore--grant--recommended.

1/2-3 encl I enclose herewith the application of the C.P.C. Co. Ltd. Mangalore, for the issue of a license in form B for the storage of 5000 gallons of dangerous petroleum in the godown building in T. S. No. 10/1 (R.S.No. 1002/1) of Kasba Bazaar village, Mangalore Town.

2. The shed in question is, as stated by the applicant, the one used as a petrol storage depot for the past several years and a license was last granted to one Mr. S.D'Souza for the storage of 5,000 gallons in this very shed in G. O. No. Ms. 4344 Law (Genl) Department, dated 3rd December 1932; but Mr. S.D'Souza had subsequently to open a separate depot as the lessor's title to lease the shed to him was disputed by the present applicant. As the building satisfies the conditions of the license prayed for by the applicant, I recommend the grant of the license.

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The challan receipt for Rs. 20/- on account of the fee of the license paid by the applicant is submitted.

Your obedient servant,

E. F. Gayne

Dt. Magistrate.

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Petroleum

B Form licence – 5000 gallons Canara Public Conveyance Co. Ltd Mangalore – granted.

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READ ALSO:—

C. No. 5-259 C From the Dy C/ S Kanara R/No. C-1.3502 dated 11/33 128 1933

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ORDER.

No. 2659, dated 28/8/ 1933.

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A licence in form B of the Petroleum Rules will be issued to the Canara Public Conveyance Co Ltd for the storage of 5000/- (five thousand) gallons of dangerous petroleum otherwise than in bulk in the ~~godown~~ storage shed ~~building~~ in T S No 107/1 (R.S.No. 166 2/1) of Kasba Bazaar village Mangalore Town South Kanara Dt

2/ The licence will be forwarded to the Dy C. S. Kanara for delivery to the firm.

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To

The Dy C S Kanara (with licence)

Chief Inspector of Explosives in India (with copy of licence)

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(HE Rule 1, Chapter IV, Part I)

Form B.

(Rule 3 of Chapter IV of Part II.)

License to possess dangerous petroleum, otherwise than in bulk, in quantity exceeding forty gallons.

No. Fee, Rs. 20 (Twenty)

License is hereby granted to The Canara Public Conveyance Co Ltd mangalore for the storage, in the storage shed described below, of 5000 (five thousand) gallons of dangerous petroleum, subject to the rules for the storage of petroleum published in Notification No. 441, dated 24th July 1909 and to the further conditions on the back of this license.

Secretary to the Government of Madras.

The August 1933.

(Description of the storage shed above referred to.)

The ~~Godown~~ storage shed is situated in T.S No 16/1 (RS No 1682/1) of Kasba Bazaar Village, Mangalore Town, South Kanara Dt.

Endorsement on Form B.

CONDITIONS OF LICENSE.

1. If the licensing officer call upon the holder of a license, by notice in writing, to execute any repairs of the storage shed, which may, in the opinion of such officer, be necessary for the safety of the shed, the holder of the license shall execute the repairs within such period, not being less than one month from the date of receipt of the notice, as may be fixed by the notice.

2. The license-holder is prohibited from delivering any quantity of dangerous petroleum exceeding three gallons to any one who has not a license under section 5 or section 6 of the Act, or any less quantity of such petroleum, except in accordance with the conditions of the proviso to section 9 of the Act, and from using vessels in which the petroleum must be contained.

3. The petroleum shall be stored in gas-tight tinned or galvanized sheet iron, steel, or lead plate receptacles containing each not more than forty gallons and fitted with well-made filling holes and well-fitting screw plugs, or fitted with screw cap or other cap with metal air-tight undercap. Such receptacles shall be packed in strong wooden cases, the thickness of the wood to be not less than three-eighths of an inch; provided that wood cases shall not be necessary when the receptacles are made of tinned or galvanized sheet iron or steel, and have the following thickness of metal:—

(1) Where the capacity does not exceed two gallons ... No. 24 W.G.

(2) Where the capacity exceeds two gallons but does not exceed four gallons ... 22 „

(3) Where the capacity exceeds four gallons but does not exceed thirty gallons ... 18 „

(4) Where the capacity exceeds thirty gallons but does not exceed forty-five gallons ... 17 „

(5) Where the capacity exceeds forty-five gallons but does not exceed sixty-five gallons ... 16 „

4. An air-space of at least one-tenth of its capacity shall be left in each receptacle at the time of filling.

5. The receptacle shall be so substantially constructed and secured as not to be liable except, under circumstances of grave negligence or extraordinary accident, to be broken or become defective, leaky or insecure.

6. The receptacles shall be labelled in accordance with the provisions of section 7 of the Act.

7. Any receptacle, before being repaired, shall be cleared of all dangerous petroleum and of all dangerous vapours arising from the same.

8. The storage shed shall be constructed of masonry or other uninflammable material with terraced, tiled or iron roofs and with tiled or paved or earthen floors.

9. Either the doorways and other openings of the storage shed shall be built up to a height of two feet above the level of the road or street, or the floor sunk to a depth of two feet below the level of the road or street, so that the petroleum cannot flow out from the building in case of its escape from the receptacle in which it is contained, or the building itself shall be surrounded with a masonry wall or embankment or both not less than two feet high. When the quantity of petroleum stored exceeds 16,000 gallons the height or depth shall be three feet.

A combination of these methods is permissible.

10. All ventilating openings in the storage shed shall be protected by strong wire gauze.

11. No light, except a light of such strength, position and character as is not liable to ignite any inflammable vapour, nor fire of any description, shall be permitted at any time within the storage shed.

12. All due precautions shall be taken for the prevention of unauthorised persons having access to any dangerous petroleum kept and to the vessels containing or having actually contained the same.

13. Every person managing or employed on or in connection with the storage shed shall abstain from any act whatever which tends to cause fire or explosion and which is not reasonably necessary, and shall prevent any other person from doing such act.

14. The drum or other receptacle containing dangerous petroleum shall only be opened on the licensed premises at or immediately adjoining the storage shed and for the time necessary for drawing off the petroleum, and during such drawing off every reasonable precaution shall be adopted for preventing the escape of dangerous petroleum or the vapour therefrom.

15. The following distances shall be kept clear from protected works round the storage shed :—

Quantity to be stored	Distances to be kept clear
Not exceeding 500 gallons	20 feet.
From 500 to 1,000 „	25 „
„ 1,000 to 5,000 „	30 „
„ 5,000 to 15,000 „	40 „
„ 15,000 to 25,000 „	50 „
„ 25,000 to 35,000 „	60 „
„ 35,000 to 50,000 „	70 „
„ 50,000 and over „	100 „

Provided that these distances may be reduced by the Local Government on the recommendation of the Chief Inspector of Expolsives in cases where screen walls are provided or other special precautions taken, or where there are special circumstances that in the opinion of the Chief Inspector of Explosives warrant the reduction.

16. Provided that when the quantity to be possessed does not exceed 60 gallons the provisions of conditions 8, 9 and 15 shall not apply, but the licensee shall observe the following conditions :—

(i) The storage shed in which the dangerous petroleum is stored shall be well ventilated and constructed of uninflammable material, provided however that the doors and windows may be of wood.

(ii) Where a storage shed forms part of or is attached to another building and when the intervening floor or partition is of an unsubstantial or inflammable character or has openings therein, the whole of such building shall be deemed to be the storage shed and no portion of such storage shed shall be used as a dwelling house or as a place where persons assemble. The storage shed shall have a separate entrance from the open air distinct from any building or dwelling in which persons assemble.

17. The storage shed shall be liable to inspection by an officer not being on lower rank than a Sub-Inspector of Police authorised by the Governor in Council in this behalf.